OFFICIAL PAPER OF BARTON COUNTY.

THE WORLD AT LARGE.

Summary of the Daily News.

WASHINGTON NOTES. THE appointment of ex-Governor Lucius Fairchild, of Wisconsin, fills the existing

vacancy on the Commission to negotiate with the Cherokees and the other Indians for the cession of the Outlet.

SPEAKING of the vote on the Prohibition amendment in Pennsylvania, Postmaster-General Wanamaker said that he was not surprised that the amendment had been defeated. He was surprised, however, at the magnitude of the vote, and had not

anticipated that the majority against the anticipated that the majority against the amendment would be so large.

SECRETARY WINDOM has directed that Patrick O'Brien beremoved from the position of supervising architect of foreign steam vessels at Baltimore, Md., and the appointment of Edward F. White to that position is announced.

position is announced.

THE War Department has been notified that thirty-one hostile Sioux Indians who went to Canada in 1877 had recrossed the border. General Ruger has advised that they be allowed to go to Standing Rock agency, and both the War and Interior Departments have consented to the sug-

WALKER BLAINE, First Assistant Secre-tary of State, denies that an agreement has been reached between Great Britain and the United States that no vessel shall

be seized in Behring sea.
THE United States vessel Constellation was hauled off the beach in Chesapeake bay in pretty good shape. It was said at the Navy Department that the commander
of the Constellation was responsible for
the accident and it was probable that a
court of inquiry would be ordered to ascer-

tain the facts in the case.

One of the "Patriotic Sons of America" attempted to pin a badge of the order on the lapel of President Harrison's coat. The honor was courteou-ly refused.

THE Civil-Service Commissioners say the Chicago post-office is the best they

SECRETARY TRACY has ordered a court of inquiry to investigate the circumstances connected with the grounding of the Constellation. The court will meet at the

Norfolk navy yard. General A. C. Myers, Quartermaster-General of the Confederate army, died at Washington on the 20th. He was a native of South Carolina and graduated at West

GENERAL HIRAM F. DEVOL has been appointed collector of the Sixth district of Missour, vice C. E. Hasbrook.

EX-GOVERNOR HARTRANFT, of Pennsylvania, has been appointed a member of the Coerokee Commission and has signified his intention of accepting the office. This

fills the Commission.

ROBERT ELLIS has been appointed assayer of the Denver mint.

The resignation of John Hume as private secretary to the Secretary of the In-terior, tendered March 8, has finally been

accepted, and Burton Pope, a young law-yer of St. Louis, has been appointed by Secretary Noble to the vecancy.

It is believed that the President will soon begin a series of short stays at Deer Park, which will constitute his summer's vacation. The general plan is for him to leave the White House on Friday after-noons, travel to Deer Park and remain there Saturdays, Sundays and Mondays. The remaind rof the week will be spent

at the executive mansion.

Young Cassidy, who fired the Catholic Protectory at White Plains, N. Y., has been sent-need for ten years.

THE alumni of Cornell University have elected Frank Hiscock, of Syracuse, trustee. There was only one other cand date, jority was sixty-three.

GENERAL SIMON CAMERON Was stricken with paralysis at Lancaster, Pa., on the 20th. It was not thought he could recover. his great age (ninety years) precluding

much hope.
PROF. E. BENJAMIN ANDREWS, of Cornell University, formerly of Brown alumnus has been unanimously elected presiden of Brown University at Providence, R I. vice Dr. E. G. Robinson, resigned.
O'Donovan Rossa has been arrested at

New York for criminal libel in accusing P. S. Cassidy of being a British spy, etc. THE voting in Rhode Island on the 20th went in favor of repealing the Prohibitio

amendment
GOVERNOR BULKELEY, of Connecticut has vetoed the Legislature's resolution authorizing the policy holders to assume control of the Phoenix Mutual Life Iusur-

ance Company.

A STRIKE or lockout seems inevitable at the great Homestead steel plant of Carnegie & Co. It is stated upon the authority of the firm that no agreement could be reached with the workmen's conference

they will quit work.

DIPHTHERIA is epidemic at Goshen and Pond Eddy, N. Y. Schools have been

MUCH damage was done by a terrific thunderstorm which passed over Scranton, Pa., on the 21st. Several houses were struck by lightning and set on fire. Henry Somers, aged eight years, while lying on a couch at home was struck by lightning and killed. George Somers, the boy' father, was seriously injured.

WILLIAM E. HOWARD, the Electric sugar Traud worker, has been sentenced at New York to nine years and eight months' im-

prisonment in Sing Sing.
Two men were killed and three fatally injured by an explosion of fireworks at Heyer Bros.' establishment, Boston, on the 21st. The damage amounted to \$100,000. THE Connecticut Legislature has passed the Secret Ballot bill.

The coroner's jury at Brooklyn, N. Y., in the case of Mrs. Jessie Duff, who eloped from Glasgow, Scotland, with Dr. James Downie, found that her rapid death was due to arsenic placed in her reach by Downie. Downie was remanded for the

grand jury.

WHILE boating in Fairmount Park,
Philadelphia, the other afternoon, two young couples were carried over the dam.

all four were drowned.

HARRY and William Jesser, aged fifteen and seventeen years respectively, living at No. 612 South Third street, Philadelphia, were killed the other day by the ex-plosion of an old range boiler with which

they were experimenting.

DURING communion services at St. Casimer's R. man Catholic Church, Brooklyn, N. Y., on the 22d, in which sixty little giris, dressed in fancy white and bearing dighted tapers, took part, the vail of one of the children took fire from a taper and a panic ensued. No one was seriously hurt. St. Bernard Catholic Church, New-ton, Mass., was burned on the 224. Loss. \$43 000; insurance, \$20,000. The cause of the fire was unknown and was suppose to have caught from fire in the censer

sed in the service. THE New York Central Labor Union and

THE WEST.

THE Rockford paper mill at Mason City,
Iowa, was destroyed by fire the other
nigh. Loss, \$20,000; insurance, \$4,000.

Four young men were reported drowned
in Salt Lake, Utah, recently by the capsizing of a pleasure boat.

A Boy named Snider, thirteen years old,
living at Highland, VermillionCounty, Ind.,

was murdered the other day by four boys whose ages range from nine to fifteen, two whose ages ranged brothers named Pearman and two named Douglas. The body was found in a creek. He had been stabbed and shot. All the

boys are under arrest.

Great consternation has been created mong the farmers of Marion. Ind., by the appearance of a small green bug that threatens to demolish the wheat, oats and rys crop. The pests appear upon every head by hundreds and sap the life out of

GOVERNOR FORAKER, of Ohio, denies positively that he will be a candidate for another term and declares he will not take the nomination if it be offered him.

CHICAGO brickmakers have inaugurated strike for eight hours. THREE postal cars were wrecked, three men killed and several others injured by an

accident on the Panhandle road, near THE Michigan Legislature has passed bill making passenger fares grade from two cents up in proportion to the gross

earnings of the roads.

Judge Prendergast has rendered his decision in the matter of the investigation into the Cook County insane asylum, based n a petition to release Dora Willard from the asylum. He says the asylum is rendered worthless by politics and he recommends its removal.

Ar a business meeting of the Iowa Holiness Association held at their camp grounds at Des Moines, the other morning all the names of members known to be professors and practitioners of the so-called Christian science were dropped from the list with others who have forfeited their membership in various ways.
FRED ROCHE, the foreman of the sewer gang, who found Dr. Cronin's body in the catch basin, has not been paid the reward of \$2,000 promised him by the committee of Dr. Cronin's friends. Roche says that the committee told him he would receive the \$2,000, but payment has not been

tee of Ohio has formally expelled J. Dowdall, of Columbus, who prepared a minority report on the expenses of the last campaign, inferentially charging Chairman Townsend with embezzling about \$10,000 of the campaign fund.

Sioux Ciry, Iowa, and surrounding region were visited by a damaging rain and wind storm on the 20th. The pontoon oridge across the Missouri river was blown to pieces and sixty boats were swept down

THE semi-annual meeting of the South Dakota Farmers' Alliance was held in Huron on the 20th. The grangers declared themselves in their platform as resolved to have a hand in the government of the State. They also asked for the adoption of the Australian system of voting. A free trade resolution was voted down.

The chief sugmeer of the Wabash rail-

way has commenced the survey of the Detroit, Wabash & Chicago railway, a connecting link between the Wabash Western and Wabash system. The line extends from Wabash to Laketon, connecting at that point with the Chicago & Atlantic for Chicago and Wabash Western

MRS. LUCY HAYES, wife of the ex-President, was stricken with paralysis at Fremont, O, on the 21st. Her entire right side was affected and she was uncon-cious.

General Haves was in Columbus turned home immediately.

BENJAMIN KLINGER and Robert Howick, two prominent citizens of Mercer County.

O., were killed by lightning recently, just as they stepped into a stable to escape a MISS JENNIE ELMBLAD and Miss Hilda Carison were boating in the Desplaines river at Desplaines, Ill., the other day with three friends, when the boat capsized near the dam and the two young ladies sank almost instantly. The others were

rescued.

THE village of Quijotoa, ninety miles west of Tucson, Ariz, has been destroyed

THE Illinois Board of Agriculture estimates that the wheat crop will not average more than thirteen bushels per acre, making the total yield of the Illinois crop 26,669,370 bushels. The quality is fu'ly up

to the average.

A DISASTROUS timber fire was reported in progress one mile west of Stevensville, Mont.

A REPRESENTATIVE of the Chicago Board of Trade was at Fostoria, O., recently examining growing wheat. The heads of the grain were found affected by the same

green insect that has made its appearance in Indiana and Illinois. THE SOUTH

A WORKNEN'S train was wrecked near Birmingham, Ala., recently, while proceeding to the Serratt mines. Two men were killed and 100 more or less injured. HARDY HAMILTON, who in February last killed Joe Lee, a Chinaman, was hunged at Bome, Ga., for the crime. Ten or twelve thousand persons came in from the surrounding country but only the county officials and newspaper reporters were allowed inside of the jail where the execu-

lion took place. NEAR Clinton, Ark., the other night during a fearful rainstorm a farmer named Emerson jost his wife and seven children. He succeeded in saving two of his children and himself, standing in the water several hours before help arrived. GENERAL W. N. TAFT, ex-postmaster of Charleston, S. C., a Republican leader, is

STATE TREASURER ISAAC S. BAMBERG, of South Carolina, fell dead at his home in Columbia recently.

J. A. Houck, aged twenty-seven, a tell-er of the Traders' National Bank of Baltimore, Md., committed suicide by hanging

an attack of nervous prostration. GENERAL.

BISHOP O'DWYER, of Limerick, has threatened ecclesia-tical penalties against the parties boycotting Knock Chapel.

THE Kreuz Zeitung, of Berlin, says the aiser advises the Sultan to cede the isl-

and of Crete to Greece.

NINE families were evicted at Youghall, Ireland, the other day. Among them was an aged woman named Swe-ney to whom

sequently reinstated.

ALL hope has been shandoned for the safety of the masters and crews of the Baltimore schooner Belle Rokes and the Providence brig Rachel Coney.

Providence brig Rachel Coney.

LIEUTENANT JOERFH LOISINGER brotherin-law of Prince Alexander, of Battenberg, is about to marry Louise Kopek,
daughter of the bead gamekeeper of the
Dagnaisks forest in Hungary, thus allying
the English royal family with a gamekeeper.

exceeding his most sanguine expectations. The Melbourne Age attacked him and he

ment denies the truth of recent alarmist rumors concerning that country, and states that the foreign policy of Servia is unchanged.

THE seamen's strike at Liverpool has CARDINAL PECCI, the Pope's brother, vas reported dying at Rome.

In sympathy with unfavorable reports from Havre and Hamburg coffee dropped between forty and fifty points at New York on the 20th. In the closing hour there was a reaction, the market closing with a decline of about fifteen points on

The French Admiralty is about to ask for an immense credit to build the greatest navy in the world.

The Emperor of Austria joined the Corpus Christi procession at Vienna on the 20th. He and all the Princes walked bare-

FURTHER news from Hayti report Hip-

The latter was about used up.
The striking miners at Kladno, Bohemia, engaged in a riot recently. The gendarmes fired on the rioters and killed two THE rule of the Dictator, Guzman Blanco

in Venezuela, is reported to have ended by a peaceful revolution. In the Spanish Cortes Senor Becerrera, Minister of the Colonies, resfirmed that the United States Government had made no proposition relative to the purchase of Cuba. He added that no proposition looking to the sale of the island would be en-

tertained by the Spanish Government. Business failures (Dun's report) for the seven days ended June 20 numbered 220 compared with 250 the previous week and 204 the corresponding week of last year. THE Pope has taken the first steps to out the Clan-na-Gael under the ban of

the Church. A NUMBER of miners were recently im-prisoned in a pit at Newcastle, N. S. W.,

ut all were safely rescued. A nowhoat containing eight persons was driven over the falls at Three Rivers, Que., the other day and all were drowned. ADVICES from Pangani are that the Arabs had rejected Captain Wissman's erms and that an attack was imminent. A LANDSLIDE occurred the other day in

one of the German quarries. Six work-men were killed and many others injured. Dr. Carl Botticher, director of the Royal Museum of Berlin, is dead. T. J. CLAXION & Co., merchants of Montreal, have assigned. Liabilities about

\$200,000. A PORTION of the Manningham mills at Bradford, England, was burned recently. The loss was £5\,000. Two firemen were killed by falling debris. Several firemen and workmen were injured.

Crops in the south of Russia are in a

bad condition owing to hot weather. At the Peace Congress, which was in Belva Lockwood, who had taken an active

nterest in the proceedings, were appointed honorary members. pean centers during the week ended June dull. The Havana sugar market was

CLEARING house returns during the week ended June 22 showed an average increase of 20.6. In New York the increase was 21.2.

THE LATEST. LAWRENCE, Kan., June 24.-There are

sensational developments in the Hillman case, and there is every reason to believe that the man for whom the insurance companies have been hunting for years has really been found. The first story of his capture in New Mexico was discredited several days ago by the detectives themselves, and it was given out that the man whom they supposed was Hillman had again escaped them. Yesterday Judge Green reseived a dispatch from Detective and has been wired East for the purpos of inducing the insurance companies to again put up the reward of \$10,000, which had been "taken down" about a year ago. Judge Green and the agents of the insurformed of this, wired back that he would reach Topeka with his prisoner last night. The case is perhaps the most sen-sational in Western criminal annals, and the wife of Hillman, living at Leaven-\$30,000, the insurance money over which the companies had been fighting. Should Hillman really reach Topeka and be identified arrests of a sensational char-acter will follow. It is said that warrants wins, who at the time when Hillman took out his big insurance furnished him the money to secure the policies. One of these lives in New Mexico and the other is working in an Arkansas saw-mill. Judge Green and Judge Bar-ker, representing the in-urance compa-nies, left for Topeka yesterday afternoon and desire to assist in the identification. is said that when Franklin reached the capture the insurance companies debut Franklin managed to keep his man in hiding until the insurance companies had agreed to again put up the reward, which was done yesterday.

WASHINGTON, June 24.-Com Tanner, in an interview on the deficiency in the Penson Appropriation, places the entire llame on his predecessor, who, he says, made an estimate to Congress \$15,-000,000 lower than that of his chief of acwill draw on a new appropriation to sup-ply the deficiency and finish the payment at the agencies, which he was compelled

FRANKLIN, Ky., June 23-William Hitton, a wealthy, miserly merchant, thought to be near death, jumped out of bed, ran into his store and made a negro man take a keg which he said contained nails and burn it. Some one discovered that the keg contained \$3,000 in green-backs and Government bonds. Hilton burned it to keep them out of the hands of his wife and son.

KANSAS STATE NEWS.

GREAT BEND, KANSAS, THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 1889.

The Melbourne Age attacked him and he has brought suit for libel.

THE Amelgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers has decided to admit all classes of iron and steel workers, including laborers.

THE Patriotic Order Sons of America has elected the following officers: President, George P. Smith. of Illinois; vice-president, Napoleon Underwood, of Louisiana; master of forms and ceremonies, W. J. Stoner, of Pennsylvania, vice A. A. Hobson; secretary, Dr. F. W. Hendley, of Ohio; treasurer, A. B. Philips, of Colorado. The next place of meeting will be Boston, October, 1890.

A CIRCULAR issued by the Servian Government denies the truth of recent alarmist remose.

was not given.

The Eureka irrigatist canal has been sold to a party of English capitalists by A. H. Soule, the Rockestar millionaire, for \$1,000,000. The canal is 110 miles long and irrigates an immense territory, passing through the counties of Finney, Ford and Edwards.

and Edwards.

Frank Woodburr, late assistant postmaster of Lawrence, was recently arrested by United States Matshal Walker and taken to Topeka where he gave bond for his appearance. A Government expert, after examining the accounts of the late postmaster, Osbun Shannon, reported a deficiency of \$5,500 in the department under Woodruff's charge.

der Woodruff's charge.

J. A. Newcome, who was recently found lying in the office of Frank Tillingnast at Clearwater with a bullet in the head and supposed to be dying from a self-inflicted supposed to be dying from a sent and wound, has recovered consciousness and wound, has recovered consciousness and is said to be recovering. He sent for an attorney and physician and made a statement that he had not shot himself, but had

ment that he had not shot himself, but had been shot by some one unseen. The mat-ter was to be investigated.

THE Board of Railroad Commissioners recently appointed Charles S. Elliott sec-retary of the board, vice Colonel H. C. Rizer, resigned. He will assume the duties of the position July 1. The salary is \$1,500.

JOHN TRAHUBLER, a German aged

twenty-two, recently hanged himself with a lariat rope in a barn at Wichita. A month previous he broke his arm and grew month previous he broke his arm and grew melancholy over the accident. His father is a mill owner in Wattern Kansas.

THE Leavenworth "joints" are said to have declared war against the police. In other words, they propose to "shut down" for an indefinite period and by this means cut off the source of supplies from which the police commission draws its revenue. the police commission draws its revenue. The argument advanced is that when this source of revenue by fines is cut off the citizens will be called upon to make up the deficiency, and that a decided protest

against further taxation will follow.

A TELEGRAM was recently received at Topeka from H. J. Franklin, the special officer who went after the famous H.ilman, in which Franklin stated that the man who was supposed to be Hillman had escaped. It is stated that the detectives escaped. It is stated that the detectives who thought that they had Hillman discovered that they had the wrong man again and have let the matter drop.

Dan Brown, a farmer, while bathing in a pond on his farm in the northeast corner of Russell County the other day was drowned.

Taz carload of our west to Chicago from

Junction City, to be sold for the benefit of the Johnstown sufferers, netted \$195. WILLIAM McCully, a prisoner in the jail at Wellington for brutally assaulting Judge Monnett, of Conway Springs, made a daring break for liberty the other day, but was shot and fatally wounded after a

JAMES GALLAGHER, a prominent contractor of Wichita, disappeared suddenly the other day. When he left home he had

was feared. JERRY MASTERSON, a wealthy Wyandotte County farmer, living two miles east of White Church, was recently killed by a runaway team of horses. Mr. Masterson had driven to Whi e Church with a load of wheat when his horses became frightened at the cars and ran away The wagon was overturned on him and he died in five minutes. About one year ago he had a sim lar runaway and when picked up was thought to be dead. He was about fifty-three years old. He leaves

wife and five children. Some years ago George M. Ewing young man of pleasing appearance located work. He was genial and allable, making friends and finally last winter married a young lady, daughter of a prominent citizen of Topeka. The couple visited Colorado on a wedding tour and soon after Ewing contracted small-pox and died a few weeks after marriage leaving quite an estate. Recent y another wife,

rights.

LATE coal discoveries at Alma caused nuch enthusiasm among her citizens.
The Farmers' Alliance Business Asse ciation, of White City, filed its articles of incorporation with the Secretary of State the other day; capital stock, \$10,000.

worth Rapid Transit road threaten to tea up their track along Third street, Leaven-worth, and discontinue trains, owing to

depth of 650 feet at Richfield. It news clear to the surface.

The sixteen-year-old son of a farmer named Byron Sawyer, residing about eighteen miles southeast of Lawrence, was drowned the other day while trying to swim in a small creek. The lad left home in the mornin; and after vainly trying to induce a neighbor's law to go with him induce a neighbor's boy to go with him went alone. His body was found by a neighbor who had gone to the creek to

THE Board of Railroad Commissioner have promulgated its opinion in the coal rate question upon rehearing, affirming its order of March 30 in every particular. The new coal tariff makes a reduction in rates from Leavenworth, Osage and Southern Kansas coal fields to Kansas eff-ct by July 15.

was acc dentally killed the other day nea boys. Clarence Divis, a companion, was playing with an old revolver, when it was discharged, the ball entering young Ben nett's hend causing instant death. N. F. Acans has resigned the office

Forr Scorr was recent y converted inte a miniature Conemanty Valley. Heavy rains swelled the streams and the lower part of the city was submerged. Crops is the surrounding country were badly damaged.

W. M. Davis, an aged colored man. fel dead while at work on the street in Kusses City, Kan., the other day.

WHO KILLED CRONIN?

Unfounded Rumor and a Lying Witness— The Pope Condemns the Classac Gael. Chicago, June 24.—Last night Chief of Police Hubbard received telegrams say-ing that a man had been arrested at Frankfort, Ind., for burglary and answered to Cooney's description, and Lieutenant Schuettler made preparations at a late hour to take the first train to Frankfort.

A special dispatch from Frankfort says, however, that the correspondent has seen the man arrested and that the officers are

George Brooks, the news agent who claims to have seen three men carrying a trunk from the Carlson cottage and afterward saw the trio dump the contents of the trunk into a sewer, is not apparently being borne out in his statements. According to the Tribune Brooks says he was on Thirty-seventh street in Lakeview when he met the men, but there is no such named thoroughfare in Lakeview. The driver of the mysterious wagon con-veying the trunk was masked, so says the Brooks story, as published. A sudden folk displaced the mask just in time to enable Brooks and his companion to obtain a good view of the driver's face. None of the other persons who met the wagon and the three men that night have ever made any mention of a mask. Brooks declares that a picture of Michael Cooney is an ex-act representation of one of the three men. Mrs. Jennie E. Fletcher, of Fort Wayne, Ind., whom Brooks describes and cousin of his, is named by him as the lady who with him saw the supposed murderers of Cronin. The Tribune prints a special from Fort Wayne which says: "Mrs. Jennie E. Fletcher is a middle-aged married lady who has resided in this city for years. She emphatically denies the Brooks story, and is indignant that her name is coupled with such a matter. She says George Brooks' stepmother is her niece. She has not seen Brooks for years. She has not been in Chicago for twelve

THE POPE TAKES ACTION. London, June 24 -A dispatch from Rome to the Standard says: "Archbishop Feehan, of Chicago, having made a long report to the Vatican through Cardinal na-Gael, the Pope has given instructions that the faculty be granted the Arch-bishop to take whatever measures he may deem opportune to declare the Clan-na Gael in opposition to the Church."

DISTRESSED MINERS.

Much Suffering at Streator and Braidwood Owing to the Strike or Lockout. CHICAGO, June 23 —A Chicago paper inrestigated the condition of the mining people in the coal mining towns of Braidwood and Streator in Illinois. It says: The normal population of Braidwood is about 5,000, all dependent upon the coal mining industry for their daily bread. At this time not one ounce of coal is being mined and the inhabitants are at the point of starv-ing. Men, women and children alike share in the blight which has overcast this section. The causes of the stagnation are two, the continued depression in the coal industry here and the culminating strike or lock-out, which has placed 1,500 bread winners beyond the possibility of utilizing

Most of the single men and some of the Many families with six, eight or ten chil-dren are without a morsel of food in the house. Some who have gardens are living on potatoes and lettuce.

Any have not tasted meat this Food supplies in small amounts inadequate to the necessities of the case. There is a pressing and immediate neces sity for relief for these poor people. Not less than 3,000 women and children are in absolute want of food, and relief can not

be too quickly sent them.

At Streator about 2,500 miners have been idle for several weeks, resisting a proposed reduction of ten cents per ton in the price of mining. To date about 800 applicants for relief have been received. The relief committee states that many families are living on bread and water, and that there are about 800 applications for help that they have failed thus far to relieve on account of

lack of funds. FOUR DROWNED.

Two Young Couples Swept Over the Dam at Fairmount Park, Philadelphia. PHILADELPHIA, June 24.—Two young couples whose identity has not yet been established met tragic deaths on the lives in Michigan with two children, filed a claim against the estate. Adivorce had been procured by Ewing in a quiet way and the first wife intends to fight for her when one of the boats in which the young couples were seated was caught in the current. The occupants made strong efforts to turn their boat but were ansuccessful, and in a few ments the little craft with terrified occupants was gliding swiftly with the current toward the dam at the water works. The girls screamed for help, but none could reach thom, and a moment later the boat was swept over the dam. All the occupants were drowned. The bodi s of the girls were recovered, but the bodies of the men had not been found up to a late hour last night, though the search had been continued for hours, but the police. The unfortunate WILLIAM WARFIELD has been appointed postmaster at Humboldt, vice Mrs.

Ella C. K mball, commission expired.

ARTESIAN water has been struck at a depth of 65) feet at Richfield. It flows

PITTEBURGH, Pa., June 23.—Cashier Voight, of the defunct Farmers' and Me-chanics' Bank, of the South Side, was senonment for emb-zelement. An attorney for the stockholders stated that no more the awistant cashier, arrested Friday. He claims that the bank's money was lost in the great wheat deal of 1886.

Expressly Required. WASHINGTON, June 23.—Assistant Sec-retary Tichenor of the treasury, has denied a request for the discontinuance of be practice of requiring imported cigarto be stamped with customs stamps, on he groun i that such stamping is an ex-press requirement of the law.

GOSSIP OF THE GREAT.

PRINCE BISMARCE has had his two sons Herbert and William, promoted respectively to the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel and Ma-jor. There is one thing about the old Chan-

THE artistic glories of the house of Mari-torough are said to be reviving under the influence of the "American Duchess," who is spending her fortung in a royal fash-ion. She is improving in English eyes, and her toilettes are, reported to be more "thoughtful and elemorate" than when she first graduated

THE FATAL FUNNEL

ion By a Storm in Northwest Mis souri-Several Persons Killed and Much age to Property—Family Drown

ALBANY, Mo., June 22.-The little vil-ALBANY, Mo., June 22.—The little vilage of Lone Star, this (Gentry) cousty,
was wiped out of existence by a cyclone
Thursday afternoon and the surrounding
country devastated. Three persons were
killed outright and a half dozen more
probably fatally injured. It is impossible
to estimate the damage done but it will
amount to thousands of dollars.

At 2:30 p. m. two funnel-shaped clouds
appeared in the northwest traveline

appeared in the northwest, traveling rapidly and very low down. The frame residence of H. P. Williams, three miles east of Albany, was struck and completely demolished. Nothing of the building was left standing except a corner post. Williams' nine-year-old sen and his mother-in-law, Mrs. Crispin, wars killed outricht and Mrs. Williams were killed outright and Mrs. William

jured.

Immediately east of the residence of Mr. Williams was that of Mr. Million. It was right in the cyclone's track and was swept from the face of the earth in a twinkling. The timbers composing it were scattered all over the surrounding country.

Mr. Million and his family had seen the approach of the storm and taken refuge in a cyclone cave and all escaped injury.

Moving on the two great clouds wheeled down on the village of Lone Star, destroying the storehouse of A C.Townsend, the Baptist Church and almost every residence in the place. jured.

dence in the place.

Mr. Townsend, who is also the post-master, was fatally injured, as was Mrs. George Stineman.

More than sixty people were rendered homeless in an instant by the storm and

many were slightly injured.

The destruction was most complete and there exists immediate necessity for relief. The citizens of Albany met yesterday morning and raised several hundred dollars and furnished a large amount of clothing and provisions for the relief a the storm-stricken people of Lone Star. The cyclone passed off to the southeast doing great damage to growing crops, or-chards and forests in its path. At Siloam Spring and Freewater great damage was also done, but so far no reports of fatali-ties have been received from there.

MARYSVILLE, Mo., June 22—A disas-trous cyclone passed over Union town-ship, Nodaway County, Thursday afternoon. Two large funnel-shaped clouds, one coming from the southeast and the other from the northwest, met near the southeast corner of Union township, whirling and twisting at a tearful rate, taking a northeasterly course. School houses, dwellings and barns were torn lown, orchards uprooted and great trees

the eminance. One after another the houses Edward Crenshaw, Daniel Melton, James

by the cyclone. At the Logan school two pupils were slightly injured, and at the residence of Kennard, Mrs. Kennard was knocked insensible Continuing in its track the cyclone swept

down on Parnell City doing great damage and wrecking the school house and many EIGHT OF A FAMILY DROWNED. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., June 22—Deputy United States Marshal Newton Faulkenburg reported to-day that on his trip to Conway and Van Buren counties, just concluded he learned that during a heavy rain storm in that section of the State last Saturday night an old man named Emer-

son had the misfortune to lose his wife and seven children in a flood. As near as the marshal could learn—and the facts are meager—there had been a tremendous rain near Clinton, the county dent took place. Emmerson, who is an old settler in Van Buren County, was with his family in his house at night when the storm was raging. After an hour's rain the water gradually flooded his house rain the water gradually flooded his house and fearing he and his family would be drowned, he gathered two of his children in his arms and made for the door to escape. As the door opened, a huge log afloat dashed in the entrance and knocked the little ones from his arms. They fell at his feet into the swift current and were lost. He then took up two more, one in each arm, and sucup two more, one in each arm, and succeeded in getting out with them safely telling his wife to follow with the others, but in attempting to escape in the same manner the mother, with two children in her arms and three clinging to her dress, was carried down with the flood and

The father and two children, the only ones left in a family of eleven, escaped with their lives. The night was dark any the father, with the only two survivors of his large family, stood in water above the waist clinging to a tree for several bour and when the waters subsided in the morning a search was made and the dead bedie of the mother and seven children were dis covered scat ered here and there for a con siderable distance around the place, the cloth ng having caught in underbrush and the bodies held fast in that way. Two o he bodies were found in the garden lot. ad been carried by the force of the water

of twenty-seven persons were taken from various places of the wrock yesterday. In a cellar near the Presbyterian Church a lamily of six persons we e found, the husband and wife c asped in each other? husband and wife casped in each other's arms, their little ones ying on either a de of the parents. All were too much decomposed to be identified. The bodie identified were; Henry Pritchard, Marand Maggie Bonford, sisters of the proprietor of the Hurbu House, L. J. Tracy and Minnie F. Harris, daughter of the chief of police Daniel Stoner, of Altoons, came here yesterday morning and dropped dead while looking at the body of a relative taken from the ruins at the vicens.

BAD FOR BURKE

the "Williams Brothers."
Winnippo, Man., June 22.—The Hink connecting Martin Burke with the Cronin murder was completely established last svening when Martinson, the expression who hauled the furniture to the Carlson cottage and who arrived here yesterday, identified him among fifty-two prisoners and citizens who stood in a semi-circle in the july ward as one of the "Williams." and citizens whe stood in a semi-circle in the jail yard, as one of the "Williams brothers" who hired him to move household goods from Clark street to the Carlson cottage in Chicago. The identification was complete and beyond all doubt. Martinsen walked before the men and picked out his men at first glanca. Chief Rubbard, of Chicago, has been notified to this effect. Burke stood the ordeni well; he never finched and maintained the same stolid demeanor that had characterized his actions since his arrest. When Martinsen passed down the line Burke stood twentieth with his hands in his pockets and his eyes swerted. Martinsen glanced quickly in his face, marked his number on a slip of paper and passed on examining the faces of the other men. After completing the investigation he returned to where the officers and counsel were standing and held a whispered conversation.

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"We are satisfied. We will not want anybody else to identify the prisoner, but be
positive of the number."

chief McRae says they now have clear sailing and he believes there will be no further difficulty in presenting sufficiently strong evidence to secure Burke's extra-

Telegraphic dispatches are passing be-tween Chief Hubbard, of Chicago, and the officers here. In one message Chief Hubbard stated that extradition papers nubbard stated that extradition papers for Burke were now en route and would pushed forward with all spee

A HEATED RESPONSE.

A Request Concerning Patrick Egan Meets With a Hot Rebuke From Governor

LINCOLN, Neb., June 22.-Governor Thayer, upon receiving a request from the British Association, of Boston, that he assist in securing the recall of Minister Egan from Chins, wrote a letter rebuking that organization sharply for attempting to blacken the name of Mr. Egan. The Governor defended the Minister warmly

and is very bitter in his denunciation of the course of the association.

In the course of his letter the Governor says: "Who constituted you and your associates judges of the motives and actions of men? By what authority do you arraign the President and Senate of the United States for the amountment the United States for the appointment and confirmation of Patrick Egan as Minthe united States for the appointment and confirmation of Patrick Egan as Minister to Chili? Thank God, they are not responsible to such intolerably insolent bigots as you and your associates have proved yourselves to be by the language used in this circular. I have known Patrick Egan ever since he located in the city of Lincoln, years ago. He has always proved himself to be an upright and honorable man, a good citizen in every respect. You can no more tarnish his reputation with your vile slanders than the foul bird of night can assail the eagle. To vent your rage and your venom at Mr. Egan's appointment and confirmation of Patrick Egan as Minister to Chili? Thank God, they are not responsible to such intolerably insolent bigots as you and your associates have proved yourselves to be by the language used in this circular. I have known Patrick Egan ever since he located in the city of Lincoln, years ago. He has always proved himself to be an upright and honorable man, a good citizen in every respect. You can no more tarnish his reputation with your vile slanders than the foul bird of night can assail the eagle. To vent your rage and your venom at Mr. Egan's appointment and confirmation of Patrick Egan as Minister to Chili? Thank God, they are not responsible to such intolerably insolent bigots as you and your associates have proved yourselves to be by the language used in this circular. I have known Patrick Egan ever since he located in the city of Lincoln, years ago. He has always proved himself to be an upright and honorable man, a good citizen in every respect. You can no more tarnish his reputation with your vile slanders than the foul bird of night can assail the eagle. To vent your rage and your venom at Mr. Egan's appointment and confirmation of Patrick Egan as Minister to Chili? Thank God, they are not responsible to such intolerably insolent bigots as you and your associates have proved yourselves to be by the language used in this circular. I have he located in the city of Lincoln, years ago. He has a say he is an honorable and honored American citizen, and I take pleasure in reminding you that he is Envoy Extraordi-nary and Minister Plenipotentiary of the great Republic of the United States to the

SLAIN IN AN OLD SHED.

Flash of Lightning Kills a Farmer and

cape.
Liberty, Mo., June 22.—During the heavy rain storm Thursday afternoon about four o'clock Robert Bush, a farmer who lived four miles west of here, and a who lived four miles west of here, and a hired man with a team of horses, took ref-uge in an old shed when lightning struck it, killing Bush and the two horses and rendering the hired man unconscious. The hired man did not regain consciousness un-til dark when he found himself pinioned to the ground by the body of one of the horses and the neek of the other lying across his legs and hips, while the cold form of his companion lay by his side. He could not extricate himself, but after the hired man's condition is critical as he is suffering from the effects of the shock and the horses falling on him. He lay under them over three hours. Bush's remains were buried yesterday afternoon.

BLACKBURN-CHANDLER.

That Ear-Pulling Episode in the S That Ear-Pulling Episode in the Seaste Committee Room.

Conconn, R. H., June 22.—Seaster William E. Chandler, in a letter to the Republicans of New Hampshire, den es that in his quarrel with Sens or Blackburn in he Committee on Indian Affairs, February 22 last, Seaster Blackburn pulled, his ear, dragged him from his chair, or hauled him unresistingly about he room. He also denies that he begged the ather members of the committee to protect im, and declares that he was calm and coll throughout the altercation. He says hat Senstor Blackburn, after making hreats of personal violence, started towards him and was made to sit down by the other members of the committee.

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BLACKBURN LEAVES IT TO WITNESSEE
LOUSSVILLE, Ky., June 22 — SenatorBlackburn, when shown Benst it Chandut's card, stated that Mr. Chandlet's veron was not correct H- declines to say my thing further, and remarked he would eave it to the three others who mitnessed the difficulty to make a statement if they

HELENA, M. T., June 22.—Saturday last the body of a middle-aged woman, who had been shot in the back, was found by a cowboy in a wild and unfrequented spot on the Judith river. On Tuesday the bodies of two men, a sixteen-year-old bodies of two men, a sixteen-year-old girl and a six-year-old girl were discovered 100 yards above the same place. All were shot in the back except the child which was strangled. Near by were foun i the remains of burnel trunks and camp equipage. Every thing by which the bodies hight be identified was destroyed. The victims are supposed to have been a family of emigrants from Jowa or Illino a